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FORT YALE CORRESPONDENCE.

FORT YALE, Aug. 17, 1859.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—Day before yesterday we had an arrival from Canal River direct, in the person of Mr. Marion Woodward, a packer, who left here forty days since, with his animals loaded for the new diggings. Mr. W. was three days upon the river—says he did not wash a pan of dirt, neither did he see a man that had prospected; but the miners were all confident that *as soon as the water fell* rich diggings would be struck. There were between three and five hundred men laying by, waiting for an opportunity to test the bars. No dry diggings have been struck; Mr. W. *heard* of quartz discoveries, but could find no specimens in the hands of parties who professed to have found them. He describes the country as being most beautiful, and apparently good farming land. Fraser river, above Alexander, is a broad sheet of water, moving placidly along and without the dangerous "riffles," which have proved so destructive to human life in these lower waters. Mr. Woodward went up by the Brigade Trail, and returned by the way of the River (Fraser.) He gives the preference to the former, by all odds. The country is scarce of game—only a few moose having been seen by the party on their way up.

Capt. Peterson, a trader at the Forks, arrived in town with Mr. Woodward, and exhibits a letter from a friend, at present mining on Canal River in which it is stated that the writer is making thirty dollars per day to the rocker.

Another dead body, entirely naked was picked up by Indians on Sunday morning last, floating in the water, and brought ashore. The deceased had doubtless been in the water about four weeks and was too much decomposed to admit of identity. No *post mortem* examination was held; but the jury arrived at the conclusion, from certain marks on the body, that the deceased had come to his death through foul means.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Joseph Jackson, a colored man, working on Madison Bar (between the Canons) was found dead in his cabin, on the morning of the 12th. It is supposed that he came to his death from disease of the heart. Deceased was aged about thirty-five years and was a native of Baltimore.

GEN. HARNEY'S LETTER TO GOV. DOUGLAS.

Head Quarters, Department of Oregon,
Fort Vancouver, W. T.,
August 6th, 1859.

His Excellency. James Douglas, C. B., Governor of Vancouver's Island, &c., and Vice Admiral of the same.

SIR: I have the honor to inform you of the receipt of an official copy of a protest made by you to the occupation of San Juan Island, in Puget Sound, by a company of United States troops under my command.

This aforesaid copy was furnished by Capt. Hornby, of Her Majesty's ship Tribune, to the United States officer in command at San Juan Island, Capt. George Pickett, of the 9th Infantry of the American army, together with a communication threatening a joint occupation of the San Juan Island, by the forces of Her Majtsty's ships Tribune, Plumper, and Satellite, now in the harbor of that island by your orders.

As the military commander of the department of Oregon, assigned to that command by the orders of the President of the United States, I have the honor to state for your information, that by such authority invested in me, I placed a military command upon the island of San Juan to protect the American citizens residing on that island from the insults and indignities which the British authorities of Vancouver Island, and the establishment of the Hudson's Bay Company have recently offered them, by sending a British ship of war from Vancouver Island, to convey the chief factor of the Hudson's Bay Company to San Juan, for the purpose of seizing an American citizen and forcibly transporting him to Vancouver Island to be tried by British laws.

I have reported this attempted outrage to my government and they will doubtless seek the proper redress from the British government. In the meantime, I have the honor to inform your Excellency, I shall not permit a repetition of the insult, and shall retain a command on San Juan Island to protect its citizens in the name of the Uniten States, until I receive further orders from my government.

I have the honor to be very respectfully
Your ob't servant.
W. S. HARNEY,
Brigadier-General U. S. army, commanding

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An assortment of English Pickles, Potted Meats, Jams, and Jellies, Anchovies, Calf-foot Jelly, Sauces, &c, put up by Batty & Co., London.
For sale by SAMUEL PRICE & CO.
Corner Wharf and Jonston streets.
Victoria, V. I. 14th June, 1859. fe14-tf

Porter, Ale, Wines, Whiskey, &c.
RECEIVED BY LATE ARRIVALS

FROM LONDON, HONOLULU, AND San Francisco.
206 cases Booth's Old Tom;
40,000 Cigars;
Barrels XXX Bourbon Whisky, (Old Joe Bowers)
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Cases Isabella Grape Wine;
Cases Bitters, (Morning Call and Royal Windsor;
Burton's Gunpowder in 25 lb packages;
HF, in 1 lb and hlf lb blue Jap'd Cannisters;
C & F Blasting and Mining Gunpowder;
Curtis & Harvey's Sporting Gunpowder in 25 lb cs
235 Mats Turk's Island Salt;
586 bags California Barley;
100 mats China No. 1 Sugar;
400 qtr sacks Pacific Mills Extra Superfine Flour;
Bags of Rio Coffee;
Boxes Macy's Candles;
Bales of Gunny Bags;
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—ALSO—
An assortment of Windows, and Sash, and Panel Doors. Puget Sound Lumber, assorted, ½ inch & 1 inch Boards, and small sized Scantling.
For Sale by SAMUEL PRICE & CO.,
Corner of Wharf and Johnson streets.
Victoria, V. I., June 27, 1859.—je29

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THE FARM OF STOWE,—Containing 200 ACRES, more or less,—situated at Rocky Point distant 11 miles by water from Victoria Harbor, together with cottages, American and Durham Cows and Calves, Horses, Mares, Pigs, Poultry, Crops in the ground, and all the farming tools and other utensils.
For farther particulars, apply to
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aug8 British Colonist Office

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Government street, nearly opposite the Post Office.

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ABOUT FOUR MILES FROM TOWN, on Cedar Hill Plains, fronting on Cardover Bay, and joining James Todd and Scott's land, a valuable Farm, containing 110 acres, mostly prairie, having excellent water, and some superior Oak timber.
There is a house upon the Farm, and part of the land is under cultivation.
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SWEET POTATOES AND PUMPKINS received per clipper ship Eliza and Ella, and for sale by R. C. JANION.
Victoria, June 24th. Je27

C. J. PIDWELL & CO.,
FURNITURE DEALERS,
South-east corner Yates and Douglas sts.,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE Invoice of assorted Furniture of the latest fashions, consisting in part of Common, Dining, Rocking and Library Chairs; Bedsteads, Bedding, Bedroom Sits, Sofas, Centre-Tables, Ladies' Work-Tables, &c., &c., &c., all of which will be sold at the LOWEST CASH PRICES. Je24-1m

REDUCTION IN LIGHTERING FROM ESQUIMALT.

I AM PREPARED to convey Merchandise from Esquimalt to Victoria at the rate of $1 75 per Ton, and as I shall have schooners waiting the arrival of every steamer, there will be no delay, and goods shall be properly attended to.
Jy13-1aw1m. J. JONES

NURSE WANTED.

WANTED a girl to assist in the charge of young children. To reside in Victoria. For address apply to T. Phelan's Grocery Store, corner of Yates and Government streets. Jy13

TO LET.

THE HOUSE next to Colonist Office, Occupied as a Restaurant, Lined throughout, Size 25 feet front by 45 feet to rear. Rent moderate.
aug17 A. DE COSMOS.

WILLIAM KELLY,
BARRISTER AT LAW,
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WILL undertake the Collection of accounts, Debts, &c., &c., in any part of British Columbia, having appointed responsible agents in the different cities and settlements in the Colony.
Fort Yale, B. C., June 1, 1859. Je8

TWO ROOMS TO RENT.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, on corner of Government and Herald streets. Apply at the Bayley Hotel. aug10-tf

SUGARS.

A FINE LOT OF SANDWICH ISLAND Sugars, of various grades, in mats and kegs, just received per clipper ship Eliza and Ella, and for sale by R. C. JANION.
Victoria, June 24th.—Je27

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE.

A COTTAGE and GARDEN, (known as the Yellow Cottage,) 60 by 120 feet, with seven Rooms, Wash-house and Stable. The House is finely furnished—Furniture to be sold with the premises if desired. There is an excellent Garden of Flowers and Vegetables.
Enquire on the premises, Fort street, between Blanshard and Quadrea sts., Victoria.
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"MOSQUITOS."

ONE DOUBLE BEDSTEAD with Mattrass and Mosquito Net complete, for sale by
aug1-tf JANION & GREEN.

TO LET.

A SMALL OFFICE, next Montgomery's Auction Room, Wharf street.
aug17 A. DE COSMOS.

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

A. DE COSMOS.....EDITOR.

VICTORIA, V. I.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUG. 21.

☞ We are indebted to Mr. Stark, of the steamer *Eliza Anderson*, for late Puget Sound papers.

☞ Freeman & Co. and Wells, Fargo & Co. have favored us with a full supply of exhanges.

GOLD DUST.—Freeman & Co. shipped by *Northerner* $5,300 and by *Pacific* $10,000.

☞ The *Forwood* had gone up to Benicia to overhaul her bottom.

☞ Wells, Fargo & Co, shipped per str *Pacific* $16,591, and per *Northerner*, $19,422.

☞ Steamer *Pacific* arrived on Monday from San Francisco via Portland.

☞ The *Northerner* arrived yesterday with a few passengers for Victoria. She landed over 200 tons of U. S. government stores, and nearly 20 U. S. Sappers, at San Juan which were taken on board at Vancouver. She brought the mails; but no later news.

☞ The Banks refuse to take sovereigns for more than $4.80.

NEW AD'S.—Selim Franklin sells town lots next Monday; W. Montgomery, auction sale of Groceries, &c., to-day.

PUBLIC MEETING.—A public meeting of the British residents of Vancouver Island will be held to-morrow evening, at the Assembly Hall, Broad street, to take into consideration the propriety of addressing a Memorial to Her Majesty's Government on the subject of San Juan Island.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.—The steamer *Beaver* Capt. Lewis, arrived on Monday from New Westminister, with 53 passengers, and about $12,000 in gold dust.

The detention of Messrs. Burnaby and Moberly turns out to be incorrect.

The *Gov. Douglas* on her return from Port Douglas got aground, on a bar in Harrison River, and was detained two days. Large quantities of merchandise were selling at Douglas for the Upper country.

Mr. W. F. Ballou, Ballou,s Express, informs us that Mr. Ladmer came through the Fort Hope trail, with a train of pack mules, and reports it a good trail, with the exception of one night's travel from Hope. He returned again for the Forks with 300lbs to each mule. Perry is hourly expected with his train from Quesnelle River. From the latter place there is no certain intelligence that extensive diggings have been found. Fraser River has fallen at Hope 17 feet 3 inches. On nearly all the bars the miners are at work. The Indians are reported to be troublesome on Nicaragua slide, between the Kanyons.

DISGUST OF THE ITALIANS.—The San Francisco *Bulletin* of the 15th says that the Italians of San Francisco are greatly disgusted with the peace in Europe, and in every part of the city their flags are seen drooping at half mast, with streamers of crape. In many places are to be seen the following placard in regard to the *Te Deum* of Napoleon's fete:

Notice—To-day, at 2 P. M., A *De Profundis* will be sung in the Church of Notre Dam des Victories, in behalf of the soul of Napoleon III.

The Italians seem to regard the action of Napoleon in making peace, as an abandonment of their cause. It is said that this evening they will burn him in effigy on the Plaza.

REPLY OF GOV. DOUGLAS TO GEN. HARNEY.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, Victoria, Vancouver's Island, 13th Aug. 1859.

Brigadier-General WM. S. HARNEY, Commanding the Troops in the Department of Oregon:

SIR:—On the evening of the 10th instant, I had the honor of receiving your Dispatch dated Fort Van Couver August 6th, 1859.

In reply thereto, I must thank you for the frank and straight forward manner in which you communicate to me your reasons for occupying the Island of San Juan in the Haro Archipellago with a portion of the military forces of the United States under your command.

I am glad to find that you have done so under your general instructions from the President of the United States as Military Commander of the Department of Oregon, and not by direct authority emanating from the Cabinet at Washington.

You state that the reasons which induced you to take that course are the "insults and indignities which the British authorities of Vancouver's Island, and the Establishment of the Hudson's Bay Company have recently offered to 'American citizens residing on the Island of San Juan' by sending a British ship of war "from Vancouver's Island to convey the Chief Factor of the Hudson's Bay Company to San Juan, for the purpose of seizing an American citizen, and forcibly transporting him to Vancouver's Island to be tried by British Laws."

I will explain for your information that the Agents of the Hudson's Bay Co. hold no official position in Vancouver's Island, nor exercise any official power or authority, and are as entirely distinct from the officers of the Executive Government as are any of the other inhabitants of Vancouver's Island.

To the reported outrage on an American citizen, I beg to give the most unhesitating and unqualified denial. None of Her Majesty's ships have ever been sent to convey the Chief Factor or any officer of the Hudson's Bay Company to San Juan for the purpose of seizing an American citizen, nor have any attempt ever been made to seize any American citizen and to transport him forcibly to Vancouver's Island for trial as represented by you.

Up to a very recent period but one American citizen has been resident on San Juan. About the commencement of the present year a few American citizens began to "squat" upon the Island, and upon one occasion a complaint was made to me by a British subject of some wrong committed against his property by an American citizen but no attention was paid to that complaint, out of consideration and respect to the friendly government to which the alleged offender belonged, and whose citizens, I think, it cannot be denied, have always been treated with marked attention by all the British authorities in these parts. With reference to San Juan in particular, I have always acted with the utmost caution to prevent, so far as might lie in my power, any ill feelings arising from collisions between British subjects and American citizens, and have in that respect cordially endeavored to carry out the views of the United States Government as expressed in a Dispatch from Mr. Marcy, dated 17th July 1855, to Her Majesty's Minister at Washington, a copy of which I herewith enclose for your information, as I presume that the document cannot be in your possession.

Following the dignified policy recommended by that Dispatch, I should in any well grounded case of complaint against an American citizen have referred the matter to the Federal authorities in Washington Territory, well assured that if wrong had been committed reparation would have followed.

I deeply regret that you did not communicate with me for information upon the subject of the alleged grievance, you would then have learned how unfounded was the complaint, and the grave action you have adopted might have been avoided. I am deeply regret that you did not mention the matter verbally to me when I had the pleasure of seeing you at Victoria last month, for a few words from me would, I am sure, have removed from your mind any erroneous impressions and you would have ascertained personally from me how anxious I have ever been to cooperate to the utmost of my power with the officers of the United States Government in any measures which might be mutually beneficial to the citizens of the two countries.

10. Having given you a distinct and emphatic denial to the circumstances which you allege induced you to occupy the Island of San Juan with United States troops; having shown you that the reasons you assign do not exist, and having endeavored to assure you of my readiness on all occasions to act for the protection of American citizens, and for the promotion of their welfare, I must call upon you, sir, if not as a matter of right, at least as a matter of justice and of humanity to withdraw the troops now quartered upon the Island of San Juan; for those troops are not required for the protection of American citizens against British authorities, and the continuance of these troops upon an Island, the sovereignty of which is in dispute, not only is a marked discourtesy to a friendly Government, but complicates to an undue degree the settlement in an amicable manner of the question of sovereignty, and is also calculated to provoke a collision between the military forces of two friendly Nations, in a distant part of the world.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant,
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This Morning, Wednesday, August 24,
AT TEN O'CLOCK, A. M.,
A Large Variety of
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,
ALSO,
CLOCKS, JEWELRY,
&c., &c., &c. au24

NOTICE.
A PUBLIC MEETING of the British residents of Vancouver Island will take place at half-past seven o'clock on THURSDAY Evening next, 25th inst., at the Assembly Hall on Broad street, to take into consideration the propriety of addressing a Memorial to Her Majesty's Government, on the subject of San Juan Island. au24

900,000 BRICK FOR SALE at the Brick Yard, Beacon Hill, Victoria, V. I. For particulars, apply at the Yard.
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10 Puncheons Scotch Whiskey,
10 " Jamaica Rum;
10 " Swaln & Boord's Old Tom Gin;
15 pipes Holland Gin;
15 ½ casks Sazerac Cognac;
10 " " J Robbins' Cognac;
10 " " Martel Cognac;
15 " " Seignette Cognac;
25 bbls Bourbon Whiskey;
50 bbls Alcohol;
50 casks American Brandy;
25 hhds Allsopp & Sons Burton Ale;
50 bbls Oregon Cider;
150 cases Swain and Boord's Old Tom;
300 cases London Dock Cognac Brandy;
20 cases London Club House Gin;
50 " Wolfe's Schnapps;
100 cs V. H. & Co. Anchor Holland Gin
50 " Absinthe Suisse;
50 " Vermouth Rivolre;
50 " Scotch Whiskey, Rob't Thin;
150 cases Claret Wine;
50 " John Durand Haut Sauterne;
10 hhds D. Gordon Sherry Wine;
10 " Crown Port Wine;
25 baskets Heidsick Champagne;
10 " Heidsick Champagne, pints;
25 cases Rosenbaum's Bitters;
25 " Hostetter's Bitters;
15 " Turner's Forest Wine Bitters;
25 " Boker's Bitters;
50 " Ginger Wine;
150 cases Turner's Assorted Syrups;
100 casks Byass' Porter, 4 doz. each;
50 casks Bass' Ale, 4 doz. each.

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GOLD PENS, &c., &c., &c.,

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Atlas, Reynard the Fox, gilt and Beautifully Illustrated, &c.

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HIBBEN & CARSWELL.
Stationer's Hall, Aug. 15, 1857. aug19-tf

T. PHELAN,
CORNER YATES AND GOVERNMENT STREETS, VICTORIA,
—Dealer in—
Groceries, Provisions, Crockery & Glassware.
Aug. 4 19-tf

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,
THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT, the Colonial Government, or the Hudson's Bay Government—for I do not know which of the three I am living under. If either of the above heads through the ignorance or duplicity of their Servants, let Contracts to Mohawk Dutch Gamblers or Yankee Spy Pedlars, who absquatulate with the funds required to pay the workmen on the building of the Assembly Hall, and the officials say it is not our fault, but we will pay you 20 cents on the dollar—I, for one of the Laborers, say, if you don't pay me my just dues, you can send the 20 cents on the dollar to the Hospital Fund. Whoever may be Colonial Secretary ought to be acquainted with the loose manner in which business is done in this part of the world, or the inhabitants who have to be taxed to pay for these Buildings, should look into the future letting of contracts. THOS. ESTALL,
Victoria, Aug 18, 1859.—au19-3t Of London, Eng.

HENRY HOLBROOK,
Columbia Street, New Westminster, B. C.
COMMISSION MERCHANT.
Forwarding, Customs' and Land Agent.
Has Bonded and Free Storage for Five-Hundred Tons of Merchandise.
☞ On Goods intended for British Columbia and shipped directly to New Westminster a saving on the original cost of 10 per cent will be made. If reshipped at Victoria there will be 10 per cent loss. aug19

NEW GOODS RECEIVED PER LATE ARRIVALS.
BRUSSELS Carpets;
Black and blue Habit and Cloak Cloths;
Printed Muslins;
1 Sewing Machine;
English Fancy Biscuits;
Garden Rollers;
Iron Gates for Paddocks;
Cooking Stoves;
Molasses in Kegs; and for sale by
JANION & GREEN.
Victoria, Aug. 16, 1859. au17

RICE.
TWELVE Hundred Bags East India Rice, re-packed for this market, in small bags. For sale by JANION & GREEN.
Victoria, Aug. 16, 1859. au17

GUNNY BAGS.
A FEW Bales for sale by
JANION & GREEN.
Victoria, Aug. 16, 1859. au17

CAUTION.
ALL PERSONS are hereby cautioned from giving Merchandise of any description on our account, without a written order from us.
HOWARD & DAVIS.
Esquimalt, August 15th 1857. aug17-2w*

FRANKLYN, MACDONALD & CO.
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FRANKLYN MACDONALD & CO., beg to intimate that they have established a Branch of their Business at CAYOOSH, near Upper Fraser, that they have
A TRAIN OF MULES,
On the Portage between the Lillooette and Anderson Lakes and are prepared to
Receive, Store, and Forward
Goods to the upper country at moderate terms. They have added to their Store at Douglas, which being by the water's side, and some distance from any other building, lessens the danger of fire, and avoids all expense of porterage. aug17-tf

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FROM PARIS.
Physician, Surgeon and Accoucher,
Government Street between Yates and Johnston, in the Yard opposite Washinton Restaurant.
☞ Treatment of all diseases without Mercury.
aug17-3m*

LOST, STOLEN OR STRAYED.
A HORSE, with a dark brown body, with four black legs, a white star in the face marked Z on the left hip, and is about nine years old. Whoever will bring him to the subscriber will be paid $10, and any person retaining him after this notice, will be prosecuted according to law.
JOHN GUEST.
aug17-2w* Yates street, Victoria.

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ARCHITECT.
Yates Street Victoria.
Is prepared to furnish Designs for all kinds of Public and Private buildings.
☞ Every description of Builders' work Measured and Valued. aug17-tf

RECEIVED per late arrivals, and for sale by the undersigned—
100 bbls Jeffrey's Ale, in stone jugs;
Octaves French Brandy;
Octaves Mixed Brandy;
50 cases Claret;
Port and Sherry in 1 doz cases;
Hartson's Bitters, do do
Genuine Cherry Brandy do
French Brandy. do
JANION & GREEN.
Victoria, Aug. 16, 1859. au17

IMPROVED FARMING STOCK.
RECEIVED by late arrivals, and for sale by the undersigned—
30 Heifers;
10 Cows and Calves;
3 Bulls;
ALSO
12 working Oxen;
4 Packing Oxen;
100 Beef Cattle;
300 Mutton Sheep.
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NOTICE.
R. J. McDONELL, who will be absent up country for a few days, begs that all communications for him from government or otherwise may be addressed to his Agent, G. I. Wight, Esq. Solicitor, Yates Street Victoria. aug17-3t

The Latest From Europe.

Dates to 13th July.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Mr. Cobden arrived at Liverpool from America, June 29. He said he would prefer another national debt as large as the present rather than a French army should occupy England for a month, even though they were friends. He expressed himself favorable to a total abolition of Customs and Excise, and adopt direct taxation.

Lord Palmerston stated in the Commons that the Foreign Policy of the government was an armed neutrality, and that the Reform Bill would be postponed till the next session of Parliament.

Lord Bury has been appointed Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household.

The Duke of Newcastle had presented a number of Canadians to Her Majesty, among whom were Mr. Legevin, mayor of Quebec, Mr. W. Casault; Lieut. Colonels Ryland and Jarvis, and the Hon. Mr. Smith, Speaker of the Canadian Assembly, who presented the address praying Her Majesty to visit Canada at the opening of the Victoria Bridge.

The Bishop of Columbia had been received at the Town Hall, Liverpool, by his Worship the Mayor and a number of the local clergy.

Several of the re-elections consequent on a change of ministry have come off; most of them being returned without opposition.

A Correspondent of the *Times* writes: "The streets of Yale may be said, without a stretch of the imagination, 'to be paved with gold.'"

By way of New Orleans and Tehuantepec we have the following telegraphic dispatches, which brings down the news from Europe to 13th July, four days later than intelligence already published by us.

Farther Point, July 13.—The Montreal ocean steamship North Briton passed this point to-day, bringing dates from Liverpool to the 13th July.

LONDON, July 13.—The following is the copy of the peace dispatch, sent by Napoleon to Eugenie, dated Valleggio, July 11:

"A treaty of peace has been signed between the Emperor of Austria and Napoleon, on the following basis: The Italian confederacy to be under the honorary Presidency of the Pope. The Emperor of Austria concedes his rights in Lombardy to the Emperor of the French, who transfers them to the King of Sardinia.

The Emperor of Austria preserves Venice, but she will form an integral part of the Italian Confederacy. NAPOLEON.

The Emperors had an interview at Villafranca, on the 11th July.

A dispatch from Turin says that Napoleon issued a bulletin from Valleggio, announcing the armistice— congratulating the troops upon their exploits, and announcing his immediate departure for Paris, leaving the provisional command of the army to Marshal Vaillant.

A dispatch from Verona says that the armistice was concluded only after repeated requests from the French, and after Austria had obtained all she asked.

It is reported that Kossuth would propose monarchial government for Hungary.

The London *News* says that the hopes and expectations of Italy have been deceived, rnd that history will call Napoleon to account for making a war upon false pretences, and then signing a weak and selfish peace, that leaves Austria impregnably fortified in the heart of Northern Italy, and commits Central Italy to the patronage of the Pope.

The London *Post* contends that the Pope is deprived of all subsistence, but keeps the shadow of supremacy.

The London *Times* says that France has spent fifty million pounds, and lost fifty thousand men, only to give Milan a Piedmontese master, and establish the Pope in temporary dignity, even beyond his imagination.

PARIS, July 13.—The Paris *Monteur* says that the great neutral powers exchanged communications with the belligerents, offering mediation, but were unsuccessful until the French fleet were about commencing operations against Venice, and a conflict before Verona was imminent, when Napoleon, finding the Emperor of Austria willing, concluded the armistice.

Some authorities credit England and some Prussia with the armistice.

Further Intelligence by the "North Briton."

LONDON, July 13.—It is rumored, at Berlin, that the Emperor of Russia would soon arrive at that capital, to attend a family conference respecting a disposal of the crown of Prussia, after the abdication of the King. The conference, it is said, will determine whether the Prince Regent or his son shall take the crown.

A dispatch from Turin states that on 7th July an unsuccessful attempt to revolutionize Naples, was made among the soldiers, which was quelled by the artillery.

A telegram from Milan states that the massacre at Perugia had created intense excitement in that city, and on the 2d July the Pope, Cardinal Antonelli and Col. Smith, (the latter of whom commanded the Swiss troops at the massacre,) were burnt in effigy at the Plaza d'Armee.

It is reported that 3,000 Sardinian soldiers have repaired to Bologna to protect that city from insurrection, and support the provisional government.

LONDON, July 9.—Letters from Rome and Florence state that the excitement in the Papal States still continues, in consequence of the massacres at Perugia, Ancona, and other cities. Investigations have been ordered as to the origin of the popular movement.

It appears that terrible cruelties are inflicted upon the Mazzinians in the revolted districts, under pretence of an order from His Holiness, Pius IX.

The Admiralty have issued orders for the raising of 10,000 additional seamen for the British Navy, at a liberal bounty.

VIENNA, July 8.—The official report from the head-quarters of the army in Italy, gives the following account of the loss at the battle of Solferiro: The number of killed is put down at 2,500; wounded and missing, 8,621. The French and Sardinian loss in killed and wounded is set down at 15,250.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

TUESDAY, August 23.

Several messages were received from His Excellency the Governor:

1. Acquainting the House that the Colonial Surveyor had received instructions to furnish the House with a tracing of the maps of all surveyed lands, &c.

2. That the address of the House in relation to Harbor dues would be laid before the Council.

3. The House's address on Militia will also be laid before the Council.

4. Copy of Gen. Harney's letter and His Excellency's reply. Both will be found in our issue to-day.

Mr. McKay introduced a petition from the Hospital Committee, praying assistance.

During some discussion Mr. Yates said he heartily agreed with the spirit of the petition, but would not agree to levy taxes for its support till the Franchise bill was passed, and a new House was formed. With this Messrs. Pemberton and Skinner concurred. Laid on the table.

The Resignation of Member's Bill was read a third time.

Mr. McKay introduced a bill to fix the legal rate of interest, which was read a first time and laid on the table.

In committee of the whole, an address to His Excellency was adopted on the subject of light-houses, deferring the raising of funds for their support till a new House is formed.

Some discussion occurred about want of funds for completing the streets and causeways, when it appeared that money had been voted which the Government had used for other purposes with the exception of funds voted from licenses of 1859.

Mr. Skinner believed that as long as the present House would continue to sit, so long would the Executive postpone its dissolution. He would therefore move that we adjourn till the Franchise Bill was returned from the Council.

Adjourned till Tuesday, Sept. 6.

Passengers.

Per steamer PACIFIC, from San Francisco.—Dr. Curtis and lady, H Solomon, M. Lasso, Mrs. Pidwell and 3 children, Mrs. Davison, C Seymour, C Simpson, M Harris, P McQuadde, Thos Dunsden, T Frances, Mrs Upwood, Mrs Weaver, Mr Lester and wife, Thos F Ham, Thos G Moore, J S Ely, J W Lock, J King, J Charles, H. Austin, J Modem, T Austin, J Godfrey, John Hall, P Major, J Lewis, R Holloway, S Gowen, W C Batt, C H Brown, G Gooden, J Scott, J Wier, W West M Bagley, Thos Divine, F Campbell, C P Clark, R S Bradner (Freeman & Co.'s Express,) J S W Tatem, (Wells, Fargo & Co's Express,) and 14 Chinamen in steerage.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVALS.

August 22—Str Beaver, Lewis, New Westminster,
Str Pacific, Pattersor, San Francisco,
Ship Alice Thorndike, Thorndike, Melbourne.
Bark Almatia, Richardson, San Francisco,
Aug 23—Stmr Beaver, Lewis, Westminster.
Stmr Pacific, Patterson, San Francisco,
Schr Nevada, McNeil, Port Townsend.
Schr Hornet, Coffin, Port Townsend.
Ship Alice Thorndike, Thorndike, Melbourne.
Bark Almatia, Richardson, San Francisoo.
Stmr Eliza Anderson, Wells, Port Townsend.
Sloop Leonede, Allen, San Juan.

CLEARANCES.

August 22—Str Ranger No 2, Hill, Port Townsend,
Schr Colonist, Kinney, Port Townsend.
Schr H. C. Page, Obey, New Westminster,
Schr Col Ebey, Hardcastle, Port Townsend.
Schr Wild Pigeon, Saunders, Port Townsend,
Schr Amelia, Thornton, Port Townsend,
Schr Get Up and Get, Hoxie Port Townsend,
Schr Mary Ann, Jones Nanaimo
Aug 23—Stmr. Pacific, Patterson, San Francisco.
Ship Alice Teorndike, Thorndike, Melbourne.
Schr Rover, Johnson, Port Townsend.
Stmr Otter, Mouatt, New Westminster.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

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aug17-3t

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au8tf A. R. GREEN & Co.

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PAINTERS' COLORS.—English White Lead and Paints, in 28 lb tins. For sale by
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ROOFING SLATES—Just Received and for sale by Je27
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THE BUILDING known as the El Dorado, situate in Yates Street. For a Concert or a Dancing Assembly Room, it is unequalled. For further particulars apply to H. MYERS,
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SEVERAL COTTAGES. Rent $5 to $7 50 per Month. Apply on the premises to
J. W. FOSHAY.
aug5-1m* Corner Yates and Cook streets

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day entered into Copartnership under the style of JANION & GREEN, for the transaction of the General Commission Business, at Victoria, Vancouver's Island, hitherto carried on by Robert C. Janion.
Victoria, April 1, 1859.-Jy25-tf R. C. JANION.
W. L. GREEN.

TO MINING COMPANIES AND PRIVATE SPECULATORS.

A GENTLEMAN having this day arrived from England who has had ten years experience in the Working Management and general Superintendance of Copper, Silver, Lead and Coal Mines in Cornwall and Wales, also twelve years in the Australian Copper Mines and Gold Fields, and likewise a minute examination of the northern Quartz and Placer Diggings in California, is desirous of offering his services as manager of an undertaking, or the command of a prospecting party, to report on the search for Coal and other minerals. Address by letter to J. H., at the Colonist office where any communication will have immediate attention.
Victoria, August 8th 1859. aug10-2w*

TO BUILDERS, &c.

JAMES BELL, Johnson street, keeps constantly on hand a full assortment of Builders' and general HARDWARE, comprising Safe Locks with Night Keys for Front Doors; Safe, Store and Office Locks; Mortice and Rim Locks, with Mineral, Fancy Porcelain and Glass Handles; the most approved Trimmings for Sliding and Folding Parlor Doors; Narrow Locks and latches for Sash Doors and French Windows; Brass Ship Locks, Bolts, Hinges, Hooks Copper Nails, Tacks, Rivets, Wire, etc; Nails and Spikes; Carpenters and Miners Tools; Steel ploughs; with a full assortment of Agricultural Implements,

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August 12-tf

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THE A 1 British built Schooner "Osprey" 120 tons burthen, is well found and ready for sea. For particulars apply to
aug12-7t SOUTHGATE & MITCHELL.

NEW GOODS!

JUST RECEIVED BY THE NORTERNER, Fine Black and Fancy Cassimere and Doeskin Pantaloons,
Black dress Frock Coats,
Blue Flannel Coats and Pants to match,
Black Silk Hats the latest style.
Linnen bosom Shirts,
Alexandre kid Gloves,
Fine sewed calf Boots,
White Shirting Muslins,
Embroidered Sets &c. &c.
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Jy29-tf Yates st., Victoria

SUGARS.

A FINE LOT OF SANDWICH ISLAND Sugars, of various grades, in mats and kegs, just received per clipper ship Eliza and Ella, and for sale by R. C. JANION.
Victoria, June 24th —Je27.

It is a Fact.—Health is getting to be vulgar, and is confined principally to servant girls. No "lady" can possibly plead guilty to "being well," without losing caste. Spinal complaints are just now in the ascendant—no female being considered "good society" who possesses sufficient strength to raise a smoothing iron.

☞ "Talk about mean men," said old Fox, why, there's that Bill Johnson, he's the meanest man I ever heard tell on. Bill was constable here. Why, don't you think, he had an execution against me for a little matter of groceries, and he came out and levied on the old woman's ducks, and wanted me to drive 'em up and catch 'em for him. I told him to catch 'em himself; and so he chased 'em around the house, and every time he'd catch a duck, he would sit down and wring its head off, and charge for mileage!"

☞ The Atlantic Ocean is estimated at three miles, and the Pacific at four miles deep.

☞ The majority of authors write for immediate effect. Like little boys playing in sand, all their pleasure consists in seeing the cloud they raise.

☞ They had a dance one night, in Wisconsin, for the benefit of the church, whereupon a journal supposes it was a *religious movement*.

☞ Joe and Bill Benton went to New Orleans with a flat-boat laden with corn. Joe wrote to his father thus:

"Nu Orleens, Gune the 5.—Dear Dad:—Markits is dull corn am mighty lo and Bill's ded. Your affeeshunate sun, jo benton.

☞ A married monster said that he lately dreamed that he had an angel by his side, and upon waking up he found that it was nobody but his wife.

☞ At a trial recently, the jury returned a verdict—"Guilty, with some doubt as to whether he is the man."

☞ There are six or seven generations of gnats in a summer, and each lays two hundred and fifty eggs.

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Victoria, July 1st, 1859-tf

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